

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLES, OREGON

PERSONAL MENTION.

Saturday.

Mr. Hugh Glenn came up from Goble last night, to remain over Sunday.

Mr. G. W. McCoy of Portland, one of the projectors of the Wapinitia ditch, is in the city.

Miss Hilda Beck, who has been in Portland for the past few months, returned home today.

Mr. F. T. Esping, who has been in Roseland, B. C., for some time past, has returned home on account of the illness of his wife. He corroborates the story that Roseland is overrun with men seeking employment.

Monday.

Miss Nelle Michell returned to Columbus last night.

Senator Dufur arrived home from Portland yesterday.

Mr. Chas. Hilton left yesterday for his ranch, near Fossil.

Mr. Frank Hampton of Prineville is stopping at the Umatilla House.

Judge Bennett went to Portland yesterday, and will be home tonight or tomorrow.

Miss Myrtle Michell returned home Saturday night, after spending two weeks with Mrs. F. P. Mays in Portland.

Mr. Harry Strickler, a nephew of Mrs. P. DeHoff, is now employed at night in the telephone office at Blakeley & Houghton.

Mr. H. E. Ramsaur, who was on his way to accept a position at Warm Springs agency, spent yesterday with friends in this city.

Miss Katie Cooper, who was called home on account of the illness of her mother and sister, returned to her school at Grants last night.

Mr. Ralph Moody came up from Portland Saturday night, and returned this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Moody, who has been visiting relatives here.

BORN.

In this city, Saturday morning, March 13th, to the wife of J. Hawn, a daughter.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Word was brought to town about noon that the body of an unknown man had been found near the head of Dry Hollow this morning. A pistol was found by his side and it is supposed to be a case of suicide. Coroner Butts went out to hold the inquest this afternoon, and had not returned at the hour of going to press. The body is said to be that of a young man.

With the coming of spring quite a number of buildings will go up. We understand Mr. E. Schanno is to erect a fine residence, and we note that Judge Bennett is having a lot of work done on his lots near the Mill creek bridge, presumably with the intention of building during the summer. Several other buildings are projected, and within a month or two the building trades will have quite a rush.

Mr. P. P. McCully, the printer, is not sticking to his job today, neither is he enjoying a lay-off. This morning as he was engaged in kindling the fire in the kitchen stove, and while splitting kindling for that purpose, the ax took a carve on him, and he chopped the end off his left thumb. This made quite a change in his thumbs, for the right one is now left, and the left one is only partly left. It will probably prevent him working for some time.

Do not forget the illustrated talk by Professor A. B. Cordley on the "Insect and Fungus Pests of the Apple, Pear and Peach" at the courthouse Thursday evening, March 18th. The professor invites all those interested in fruit-growing to attend, and to bring with them samples of insects and pests of diseased trees for examination. The following evening at the same hour and place President H. B. Miller will deliver a lecture entitled "Industrial Education." The lecture will be illustrated by stereopticon views of the college and its work. Both lectures should draw a crowded house.

The stage in E. T. Wilson's residence in Ellensburg blew up last Friday. Mrs. Wilson was near the stove when the accident occurred, and sustained painful but not dangerous injuries. In view of the destruction wrought in the kitchen, however, it was a marvelous escape. The stove was blown to pieces, and the room was almost a total wreck. Mrs. Wilson received prompt attention, and is rapidly recovering from her injuries. The waterback in the stove burst last November, because of water having frozen in it, and the accident last Friday resulted from a similar cause.

The spring clip of poetry is beginning to arrive, which leads us to hope that those simple-minded folk, in so close touch with nature that her moods are to them as open a book as to the ground hog, are not mistaken, and that the rosy goddess is near at hand. We print the first wild blossom, so to speak, the first shearing from the blatant lamb, not because we endorse the sentiments therein expressed, but just to show that spring, with all her beauties, has some evils in her train to which the snuffles and lavender pants can't hold a candle. The author of the poem alluded to may escape further arrest, and we hope he will.

Hot Clam broth every day from 10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. and 4 to 6 p. m. at Stabling & Williams.

MISSISSIPPI IS STILL ON THE RISE

Hundreds of Homes Destroyed by the Flood.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 15.—Rain began falling here shortly after 7 o'clock, and is coming down in torrents, adding to the misery and suffering already caused by the overflowing of streams. A citizens' relief committee has been organized. Hundreds of head of stock and many men, women and children have been rescued from house and tree tops in the overflowed districts and brought to this city by harbor towboats with barges attached.

The gauge reads 36.3 feet, a rise of one foot in 24 hours, and indications point to a further rise. News comes today of the partial breaking of the St. Francis levee, sixty miles above Memphis. Steamer captains say great additional suffering and loss of property will result.

The break in the St. Francis levee at Nodena, Ark., was more serious than first reported. The water has fallen twenty-five feet, and rushed upon the people in the lowlands, behind the levee, in almost a solid wall. It is expected many lives will be lost. The steamer City of Osceola saved many people who were washed out of their homes by the water, which went through every crevice.

The Flood at Nashville. NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 15.—The Cumberland river reached forty-two feet on the gauge here today. Forty feet is the danger line. The lowlands about the city are submerged, and many cellars of the business houses filled with water. Families in the threatened districts are moving out. Merchants are taking their goods to the second floors. The river will certainly reach forty-five, possibly forty-seven feet.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with LaGrippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from the first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. (5)

The News in Rome

ROME March 15.—It is semi-officially stated here this afternoon that all the foreign admirals have received orders to blockade Crete. It is added that a blockade of Greece will occur if the Cretan blockade should prove inadequate. The Greek fleet is expected to leave Crete, otherwise it will be escorted outside Cretan waters.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alternative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle at Blakeley & Houghton's Drug Store. 5

Walling Must Hang.

CINCINNATI, March 15.—A Times-Star special from Franfort says Alonzo Walling will hang with Scott Jackson March 20, all published stories to the contrary notwithstanding.

The governor finished a long study of the case today at noon and tonight will write "Refused" across the back of the petitions.

For Sale or Trade.

A desirable ranch of 160 acres, within four miles of Dalles City, with one span mare, harness, wagons, plows and other property. Fine fruit land and abundance of water. Will trade for Dalles City property. Inquire of A. S. MAC ALLISTER, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, CHRONICLE office, The Dalles, Or.

Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to Oct. 1st, 1897, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after March 6, 1897. C. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

Dalles-More Stage

Leaves the Umatilla house 8 a. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. DOUGLAS ALLEN, Prop.

This Is Your Opportunity.

On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate the great merits of the remedy. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

Rev. John Reid, Jr. of Great Falls, Mont., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Presb. Church, Helena, Mont.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

A NEGRO BURGLAR.

His Arrest Causes a Bloody Race Riot in Birmingham.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 14.—Two tragic deaths, a policeman shot and a small race riot, in which a dozen persons were more or less hurt, constituted the results of a fight which occurred inside of thirty minutes on the South Side this afternoon. A burglary was committed by Will Hunter, a negro. Policeman Perdue was detailed on the case, and this afternoon found Hunter and arrested him. Hunter drew a pistol and fired, striking Perdue in the jaw, inflicting a dangerous wound. The negro made a break for liberty, the officer pursuing, and firing as he ran. After firing three shot the officer fell from exhaustion, his last shot wounding Hunter fatally. It developed afterward that one of Perdue's shots killed Myrtle Boland, a 5-year-old girl, who was playing in an alley, two blocks away. When the police finally took Hunter in charge, a mob negroes followed, threatening to rescue that wounded prisoner. A number of white men soon appeared, and a general free fight ensued between negroes and whites, in which fully a dozen persons were more or less wounded and several negroes badly beaten.

Struck in Self-Defense.

COLUSA, Cal., March 12.—Mrs. Frank A. Hoover killed her husband last night during a quarrel, by striking him on the head with a piece of gaspise, and his death resulted soon after.

Hoover and his wife had had numerous quarrels, and the neighbors were long ago made aware of marital differences in the Hoover household. The reason generally assigned was jealousy on the part of the husband. Last evening when Hoover returned from his work he engaged in a quarrel with his wife at the supper table. The quarrel was a lively one, and continued until both left the house to settle the difference in the yard.

Hoover advanced toward his wife threateningly and to protect herself she picked up a piece of gaspise and struck him behind the left ear. Hoover fell dead.

BOSTON'S NEGLECT OF POE.

No Fitting Recognition of His Fame in the Whole Country.

I have mentioned the circumstance that it has never occurred to the town of Boston to erect a monument to Poe, who, next to Franklin, probably has the most world-wide fame of all the men of letters native to that town, and Poe was connected with Boston not alone by the important accident of his birth, but by the commencement there of his literary career, itself an event worth commemorating. So far as I am aware, Boston never awarded to Poe the honor which, in the case of her dead literary men of eminence, she sometimes deems worthy to be taken in lieu of any further monumental attention, namely, the calling of a public meeting by the mayor, at which addresses are made and complimentary resolutions adopted. The name of Poe is, indeed, carved on the outer walls of the public library at Boston; so are several hundred other names. Their purpose is chiefly decorative.

However, Boston's neglect in respect of Poe was but the neglect of all the rest of the country. His kindred left his grave at Baltimore unmarked and a fund of about \$1,000 had to be raised by public subscription to place above his ashes the unbecomingly mortuary monument which now bears his name. If an enterprising commercial person had not hired the cottage in which Poe lived at Fordham, just out of New York, and put up above its door the large sign "Poe's Laundry," surmounting it with the figure of a raven, thereby arousing the wrath of many people, including the owner of the cottage, and shaming them into a protest, it is probable that the poet's fame would still be quite destitute of any public memorial.—Atlantic.

Frutiger Children.

Children are naturally truthful. Nature does not lie. Let nothing be done to alter this happy disposition. Cultivate in them the love of truth, candor and the confession of error. It is lamentable to think what fearful falsehoods are uttered to deter children, to keep them quiet, or to make them obedient. Threats of being taken by old men, and black men, and other like terrors, are resorted to by ignorant and foolish servants to frighten them, and make them lie still in bed. It is ascertained that death, fits, idiocy, or insanity have been the consequences of such inhumanity. But, setting aside the probable chance of such calamities, there are other certain results. If the child discovers the falsehoods practiced upon him, he becomes boldly indifferent to the threats, is more disobedient and willful than ever, disbelieves all that is said to him, and, finding no respect for truth in others, has no regard for it himself. Firmness in adhering to promises, or any particular line of discipline in relation to children, is of first importance.—N. Y. Ledger.

English Lawyers.

The difference between a counsel and a queen's counsel—or, in the event of a king being on the throne, a K. C.—is that the latter is supposed to be able to appear as the sovereign's advocate. Both are entitled to wear wig and gown; but the gown of the latter is silk, and the former is of "stuff." The queen's counsel can take only what is termed "leading business." The Daisies in Australia. The ox-eye daisy, which bothers American farmers, is now spreading in many agricultural districts in Australia, being introduced with hayseed. It causes damage to grass lands.

IS WOMAN A HUMAN BEING?

This Question Was Gravelly Discussed at a Bishop's Council at Macon.

In these latter days of the Nineteenth century, when woman is struggling for an equality with men in the arts and sciences and in politics, it may be interesting to know that as early as the Sixth century the "woman question" was a knotty problem confronting the sages of that period.

It was a more startling question, however, than that of these days of safety bicycles and abbreviated skirts. "Are women human beings?" was the woman question as formulated in the Sixth century.

This startling inquiry was proposed by a bishop at the council of Macon, and the reverend fathers were so amiable and so liberal as to devote several sessions to the consideration of the subject. They did not disdain the question as useless or frivolous, but gravely undertook the task of assigning to woman her proper place in creation.

With all her faults they loved her still, and, moved partly, no doubt, by affection, they generously decided that she did not belong to the world of "mutons, beavers or goats," but was in truth a human being.

It must not be imagined, however, that this advanced theory was forced upon Christendom, says the London Mail. The council of Macon was not ecumenical, and so churchmen were not constrained to accept its decision.

WIDOWS IN WASHINGTON.

It Is a Gathering Ground Upon Which Rich Reluctants Meet and Scheme.

Especially is it a great place for rich widows with daughters—that peculiar type of American women who, as soon as paterfamilias is comfortably tucked away under the sod, fly to Europe, spend years wandering about like social Bedouins, then are seized with a romantic form of homesickness. But they can't stand Porkopolis and Kalamazoo and West Jersey after Paris and London and Vienna, and Washington affords a convenient stop-gap. It is American in location, European in habits, and, to a degree, in personnel. So they come here, buy a fine house, get in with the diplomatic corps, and the thing is done, says the Illustrated American. And Washington, which professes a lofty scorn for trade, and ruthlessly shuts the doors of society in the face of all Washington brokers, insurance agents, real estate people, and, in short, trade in every form, except banking, welcomes with open arms the retired trades people from New York, Chicago and anywhere else on the face of the globe. It reserves the right of laughing at them, though, and after faithfully attending all their luncheons, goes home to rear over every sup the ambitious host or hostess has made. This habit is undoubtedly an affront to hospitality, but it has one saving virtue—Washington makes use of rich people, but it is not afraid of them.

NO LONGER A LADY.

She Had Nursed Her Maid Through Fever, and So Lost Caste.

An amusing instance of class formality was related to me the other evening by an intimate friend of the victim, says a Chicago paper's correspondent. The lady's maid of Mrs. Benevolent was stricken down with typhus fever, and her removal to the hospital was urged by the family.

But Mrs. Benevolent, having a great liking for the maid, would not listen to the plan, and declared she would nurse the girl herself. This she did through a long illness, and when the invalid became convalescent Mrs. Benevolent, at her own charge, sent the maid down to Brighton, that she might benefit by a cheerful stay by the sea.

After a sufficient time had elapsed for her complete restoration to health the maid was asked by post if she did not feel able to resume her duties. Her answer was an expression of gratitude for the kindness and care she had received, concluding with the sorrowful "regret that I shall not be able to return to your service, as I cannot engage myself to one who is not a lady, and, of course, no lady would have nursed and waited upon a servant, as you have done in my case."

The Father Names the Child.

The children of the Anois, a people living in northern Japan, do not receive their name until after they are five years old. It is the father who then chooses the name by which the child is afterward called.

Knew His Business.

"I don't know why you should have selected this particular site for a summer hotel," said a newly arrived guest to the landlord, who was an old acquaintance. "It strikes me as a very warm place." "That may be," replied the landlord, "but you will find the proper temperature has been obtained. The waiters are all girls from the Boston colleges."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

MULES FOR SALE.

The undersigned has thirty-six mules, which will be sold cheap for cash. He has five 2-year-olds; balance 3, 4 and 5 years old. Will weigh when grown from 1000 to 1300 pounds. Address JAMES BROWN, Victor, Or. fb24-1m-w-1

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Wasco and State of Oregon, dated the 7th day of January, 1897, in a certain action in the Justice Peace court for said county and state wherein Erick Nelson as plaintiff recovered judgment against Alexander Watt for the sum of \$88.50 and costs and disbursements taxed at \$18, on the 17th day of October, 1896. Notice is hereby given that I will on Monday, the 16th day of February, 1897, at the front door of the courthouse in Dalles City, in said county, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit: Two acres of land at the Cascade Locks, commencing at the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section twelve in township two north of range seven east of Willamette Meridian in Oregon; running thence south ten rods, east thirty-two rods, north ten rods, west thirty-two rods to place of beginning. Taken and levied upon as the property of the said Alexander Watt, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of Erick Nelson against said Alexander Watt, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have, or may, accrue. T. J. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon. Dated at Dalles City, Jan. 8, 1897.

Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, dated the 12th day of January, 1897, and to me directed and commanding me to sell the property hereinafter described to satisfy the sum of \$80, with interest thereon at ten per cent per annum from Dec. 2, 1896, a balance due upon judgment in the above named court in favor of Robert Mays and L. E. Crowe, partners doing business under the firm name of Mays & Crowe, and against Geo. D. Armstrong and Sarah Armstrong, given and rendered therein on the 9th day of November, 1896, I will on Wednesday, the 10th day of February, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., sell at the courthouse door in Dalles City, in said county and state, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 13, in Block 12 in Thompson's Addition to Dalles City, in Wasco County, State of Oregon. D. J. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon. Jan. 13, 1897.

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